





Friday, September 5, 2017 - 1630 CST Hurricane Harvey Incident - Report 10

Reporting Period: 8/24/17 - 9/5/17 - 1630 CST

Current Situation (9/5/17)

- Carbon Monoxide exposures are still of concern due to generators in enclosed spaces
- People are getting exposures to cleaning agents (dermal, ocular, inhalation)
- Water safety is a high priority as is the risk for food poisonings.
- Poison Centers are always a medical resource for those potentially exposed to a substance. Board Certified Medical Toxicologist on call.
- Poison Centers continue to collaborate with state and federal agencies to provide exposure surveillance and patient treatment recommendations.
- All Specialists in Poison Information of the Texas Poison Center Network have been instructed to continue to collect additional information on hurricane related exposures and to code cases as PUB Health EMERG and to use AAPCC emergency code on the case to help aid in epidemiological studies.

See previous situation reports for historical updates.

Central Texas Poison Center will continue to provide situation reports daily until further notice, on behalf of TPCN.

You can find more disaster recovery advice at TexasPrepares.org.

Residents with poison concerns may continue to access 24-hour bilingual medical advice by calling the **National Poison Center hotline at 1-800-222-1222.**







Calls received to date:

Calls specifically documented as relating to Hurricane Harvey

Year	Month	Day	Exposure calls	Information calls	Total calls
2017	Aug	25-31	91	19	110
2017	Sep	1	15	4	19
2017	Sep	2	12	3	15
2017	Sep	3	25	3	28
2017	Sep	4	11	2	13
2017	Sep	5*	1	0	1
Total			155	31	186

^{*} Partial data – data from midnight until time of report.

Year	Month	Day	Carbon monoxide	Gasoline	Contaminated water	Bites and stings
2017	Aug	25-31	8	10	1	33
2017	Sep	1	0	2	0	7
2017	Sep	2	7	2	0	4
2017	Sep	3	5	1	0	2
2017	Sep	4	2	0	1	1
2017	Sep	5*	0	0	0	0
Total			22	15	2	47